Submission of Research Papers in Guwahati University

1755. SHRI IQBAL SINGH: Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government's attention has been drawn to the news-item which appeared in the "Indian Express" dated the 23rd January, 1995 to the effect that the Hindi research student are expected to submit their research papers, not in Hindi but in English;

(b) if so, what are the deta ls thereof; and the reasons therefor; and

(c) what is Government's reaction thereto and the action being proposed to be taken against Guwahati University?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT (DEPTT. OF EDUCATION AND DEPTT. OF CULTURE): (KM. SELJA): (a) Yes, Sir.

(b) The Guwahati University has informed that all these for the Ph.D. degree to be awarded by the University are to be written in English. Howeer, these on Assamese language and culture are allowed to be written in Assamese also. This is considered desirable as it enables teachers, scholars and students of all languages to read and understand the contents of the theses. According to the Uniersity, a Ph.D. candidates should have adequate knowledge of Engl'sh to be able to write the thesis in this language.

(c) Universities are autonomous organisation established by the Acts of Parliament or the State Legislatures. All decisions on academic matters are taken by the Universities themselves in accordance with the provisions in the Acts and Statutes of these Institutions.

Administration of Sports Authority of India

1756. SHRI VIRENDRA KATARIA:
DR. SANJAYA SINH:

Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) the details of the expenditure incurred on the establishment and administration of Sports Authority of India during the last three years alongwith budgetary outlays during that period;

(b) whether it 's a fact that the Sports Authority of India has not been able to achive the purpose for which it was set up; and

(c) if so, the reasons therefor and the details of remedial steps proposed to be taken in that regard?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT (DEPARTMENT OF YOUTH AFFAIRS & SPORTS) (SHRI MUKUL WASNIK): (a) Details of expenditure incurred on the establishment and admiinstration of Sports Authority of India (SAI) during the last three years alongwith budgetary outlays are given below:—

(Rs. in lakhs)

Sl. No.	Year	Total Allocation of SAI	Expenditure on Establishment and Administration
1.	1991-92	4307.53	1404 11
2.	1992-93	3871.00	1469.81
3.	1993-94	4303.04	1506.85 (Prov.)

(b) No, Sir. The SAI was set up in 1984 for promoting sports in the country and managing sports infrastructure and other facilities created for Asiad 1982. It has contributed a lot towards the promotion and development of sports in the country. With its help, we have been able to develop fields like Sports Sciences, Sports Medicine, Dope control laboratory, as well as a wide range of sports infrastructure facilities necessary for the preparation of national teams for major international tournaments and for the running of National level Coaching Camps at Senior/Junior level in priority disciplines. The schemes for identification and nurturing of talent have also started showing results at the national level. The SAI has also been helping National Sports Federations in improving their inputs.

(c) Does not arise.

केन्द्रीय विद्यालय संगठन में योग शिक्षकों को दिये जाने वाले लाभ

1757. **श्री राघवजी :** क्या **मानव संसाधन विकास** मंत्री यह बताने की कृपा करेंगे कि :

(क) क्या यह सच है कि केन्द्रीय विद्यालय संगठन में कार्यरत योग शिक्षकों की 12 वर्षों से अधिक निरन्तर सेवा में रहने के बावजूद न तो उनकी सेवा में स्थाई किया गया है और न ही उन्हें उच्च वेतनमान दिया गया है ;

(ख) यदि हां, तो उसके क्या कारण हैं ; और

(ग) उन्हें ये लाभ कब तक प्रदान किये जायेंगे?

मानव संसाधन विकास मंत्रालय (शिक्षा विभाग और संस्कृति विभाग) में उप मंत्री (कु० शैलजा) : (क) से (ग) केन्द्रीय विद्यालय संगठन ने उन योग शिक्षकों की सेवायें नियमित करने के लिये अपने प्रादेशिक कार्यालयों को पहले ही निर्देश जारी कर दिये हैं जो इस पद के लिये आवश्यक अर्हतायें पूरी करते हैं । शिक्षकों को उच्च वेतनमान देने के प्रश्न पर केवल तभी विचार किया जा सकता है जब पात्र शिक्षक नियमित हो जाते हैं ।

India's poor standard in sports

1758. SHRI VIRENDRA KATARIA:
DR. SANJAYA SINH:

Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) what are the main reasons for India's performance not matching the *International standard;*

(b) whether Government propose to evolve system of accountability for India's poor performance in sports events and if not, the reasons therefor; and

(c) what other steps Government propose to take in that direction and by when its standards are proposed to be elevated?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT (DEPARTMENT OF YOUTH AFFAIRS AND SPORTS) (SHRI MUKUL WASNIK): (a) The main reasons for India's performance not matching international standard are as under:—

(i) Sports is not an integral and compulsory part of the school curriculum.

(ii) Coordination between the different Government and Non-Government agencies involved is not satisfactory.

(iii) Lack of investment in sports and sports promotion by both the public and private sector.

(iv) Financially weak and concequently poor management structure of sports bodies at various levels

(v) Non availability of good quality and reasonably priced sports goods.